



Prayer in Confidence of God in the Midst of the Coronavirus

God our refuge, strength and deliverer, we come with broken hearts, anxious spirits and raging fear in the midst of tragedy growing around us.

We come mourning the loss of life around the world. We come with confidence in Your power to inspire medical breakthroughs to combat the spread of the coronavirus. We come seeking Your guiding hand in how we should respond.

We pray that you will deliver us from this snare that it will not come near us. We ask that Your healing power will flow through those who are suffering. We trust Your angels to guard and protect us. Guide us in ways that would lead us to healthy practices to keep us safe from this virus.

We will not fear for we trust You, O Father, to counter voices that mislead Your people. We will intensify our hope that You will restore even in the midst of deep loss.

We ask Your mercy on us. We will express God's love in action by helping those in need and supporting one another, for God is in the midst of us. Guide us in the ways we should respond.

We hope, knowing our Father has the power to intervene and penetrate healing in desperate bodies in extreme circumstances. Help us, Father to be sensitive to the pain and suffering of others.

We live in dreadful times, yet we know that God will never leave us even when we are unaware of God's presence. God will be with us in this trouble. God will rescue us. God, reveal God's self as restorer, the source of all hope, and loving Father, and give us assurance of His protection in these days and those to come.

And so it will be!

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